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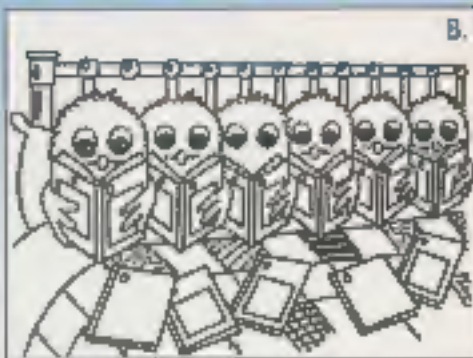
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# MASTERS OF THE UNIVERSE

## VIPER VICTORY!

UGH! TUNG LASHOR'S  
VENOM SHELL HAS ME  
COMPLETELY ENCASED!  
I CAN'T MOVE MY ARMS  
OR LEGS ENOUGH TO  
SMASH MY WAY OUT!

I CAN'T  
ESCAPE!

NOW THAT THE  
HEROIC WARRIORS  
ARE HELPLESS WE  
WILL DESTROY  
THEM!

SOON THERE WILL  
BE NOTHING TO STOP  
OUR CONQUEST  
OF ETERNIA!

FIRE!

BLEAAAM!  
THOOOM  
ZAAAP!

WITHOUT BEING ABLE TO  
MOVE I CAN'T EVEN BEGIN  
TO BREAK OUT OF THIS  
SINISTER SHELL! IF  
ONLY THERE WAS A WEAK  
SPOT IN THE SHELL,  
THEN I COULD USE THAT  
TO FORCE MY WAY OUT!

SOMETHING  
IS HAPPENING TO  
THE SHELL! THIS COULD  
BE THE 'BREAK' I'M  
LOOKING FOR!

OUR FIRE RIVER  
WILL DESTROY THE WARRIORS  
— JUST AS OUR RIVER WILL  
DESTROY ALL THOSE WHO  
STAND AGAINST US!

WHUUUM!  
KERRROW!  
THOOOSH!



WHAT A FOOL KING HISS  
IS / IF HE HAD LEFT THINGS  
AS THEY WERE HE MAY WELL  
HAVE TRAPPED US, BUT HIS LASER  
FIRE HAS CRACKED THE VENOM  
SHELL ENOUGH TO ALLOW US  
TO SMASH THROUGH IT!

YOU SHOULD  
HAVE STOPPED WHEN  
YOU HAD THE  
CHANCE, HISS!

YEAH!  
YOUR OWN FIRE  
POWER HELPED US  
TO ESCAPE...

BUT YOU  
WON'T BE SO  
LUCKY!

AGGGH!

RETREAT TO VIPER  
TOWER / ONCE INSIDE  
WE WILL BE ABLE TO  
HOLD THE MASTERS  
AT BAY! RUN!

I'LL HEAD  
'EM OFF AT THE  
PASS, HE-MAN!

IF I CAN GET CLOSE ENOUGH  
I SHOULD BE ABLE TO LAY DOWN  
A SCREEN OF LASER, FIRE AND STOP  
HISS AND HIS CRONIES FROM  
GETTING INSIDE THE TOWER!

OH OH!  
TROUBLE!

SNAKES / BAH!  
I HATE SNAKES!

HISSS!

ZIIIP!

ZIIIP!









WHEN MOST ANIMALS  
ARE AFRAID OF FIRE AND  
IT LOOKS LIKE THE MAGNA-  
SNAKES ARE NO  
DIFFERENT!

I GUESS THAT THEY ARE  
SO AFRAID THAT EVEN KING  
HISS' MIND CONTROL POWERS  
HAVE NO EFFECT  
ON THEM.



NOW THAT WE HAVE TAKEN  
CARE OF THOSE MONSTERS, IT'S  
TIME TO SORT OUT KINGHIS!

MOVE CAREFULLY,  
WE HAVE NO IDEA WHAT  
THAT TRIO OF TOWERS IS  
CAPABLE OF!



SUDDENLY...

LASER  
ATTACK!

THERE'S NO POINT IN  
BEING CAREFUL NOW.  
LET'S GET THEM!





IS EXTENDAR DOOMED? WHAT IS THE SECRET OF THE THREE POWERS? FIND OUT MORE IN THE NEXT INCREDIBLE ISSUE OF MASTERS OF THE UNIVERSE!



# Master Mail

Dear Scrollos,  
Will you ever appear in the M.O.T.U comic? I would very much like to see what you look like.

**Steven Porch,  
CLEVELAND.**

*If you look closely at the first panel in each part of my Secret Files of Scrollos series you will be able to see a bit of me. I need to keep what I look like a secret so that Skeletor and Hordak can't find me and force me to write nice things about them.*

Dear Scrollos,  
Why doesn't Modulok have a bat symbol like the rest of the Evil Horde?

**Jarik Lindsay,  
SAINT-FIELD (N. Ireland).**

*I notice you are using your Eternian name, Jarik! Modulok doesn't wear his Horde symbol because he keeps on moving bits of his body around and it would always get in the way.*

Dear Scrollos,  
Why does Orko always have the bottom of his face covered up? Does he have a mouth? I would love to know.

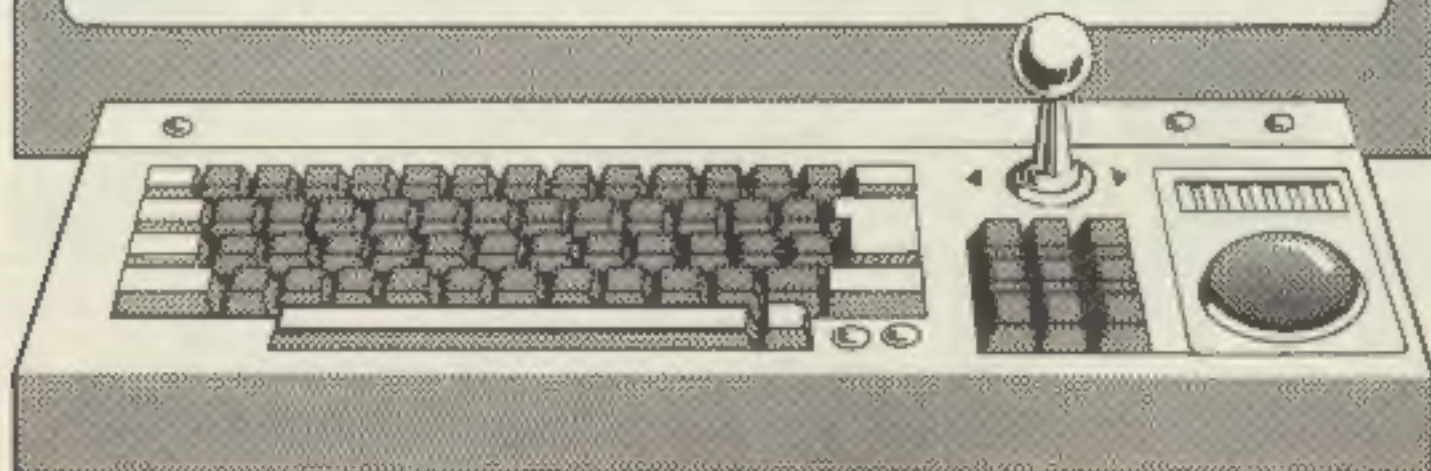
**James Cowie,  
ABERDEEN.**

*Orko covers the bottom of his face for a very special reason, James. On his home-world (Trollah) everyone covers their mouth as a sign of politeness.*

Dear Scrollos,  
I think your comic is very good and your free She-Ra comic (in issue 12) was a great idea. Can you tell me if Spikor can replace his trident-hand with a normal hand?

**Paul Kirkpatrick,  
CUMBRIA.**

*A 'handy' question, Paul! Spikor could never replace the spike with a normal hand, but he might be able to replace it with another weapon, such as a laser-cannon or flame-thrower.*





# MASTERS OF THE UNIVERSE

## THE MONSTER MAKER. PART ONE

SKELDOR, THE SOUCERER SUPREMACY, IS IN HIS INNER SANCTUARY WHICH CONNECTS WITH ETERNIA'S TWILIGHT ZONE! HE IS ABOUT TO TAKE ONE STEP BEYOND INTO THE OUTER LIMITS OF MAGIC...

IN THE PAST IT HAS BEEN HE-MAN'S ACCURSED SWORD THAT HAS LED TO MY DEFEAT! WELL TONIGHT WE WILL CONJURE UP A SPECIAL POTION THAT WILL TAKE AWAY THE SWORD'S POWER...

**FOREVER!**

I KNOW THAT SKELDOR IS A POWERFUL MAGICIAN... BUT HERE IN HIS SPECIAL CHAMBER, HE SEEMS MORE EVIL AND SINISTER THAN I HAVE EVER SEEN HIM BEFORE!

I HAVE CALLED FORTH THE POWER OF TARBOZ THE TERRIBLE FROM THE NETHER-WORLD. WHEN WE COMBINE OUR POWERS WITH HIS WE WILL BE ABLE TO CREATE THE POTION WE NEED.

I'LL UNITE MY POWER WITH YOURS NOW!

IT'S WORKING! TARBOZ THE TERRIBLE IS HERE...

... AND I MUST SAY THAT HE LOOKS TERRIBLE! HE MUST BE SUFFERING FROM THE FRIGHTFUL 'FLU'!

**AH-CHOO!**

WHO CALLS TARBOZ FROM HIS SICK BED? I DON'T FEEL VERY WELL AT ALL!

FEAR! IT'S JUST MY LUCK TO CALL FORTH AN ILL DEMON! NEVER MIND, JUST DO AS I SAY AND YOU CAN RETURN TO YOUR DOMAIN!

**BLOW!**

GIVE ME THE NEGA-SERUM AND THEN YOU CAN RETURN TO YOUR DIMENSION. I WANT THE SERUM THAT WILL TAKE AWAY THE POWER FROM HE-MAN'S SWORD!

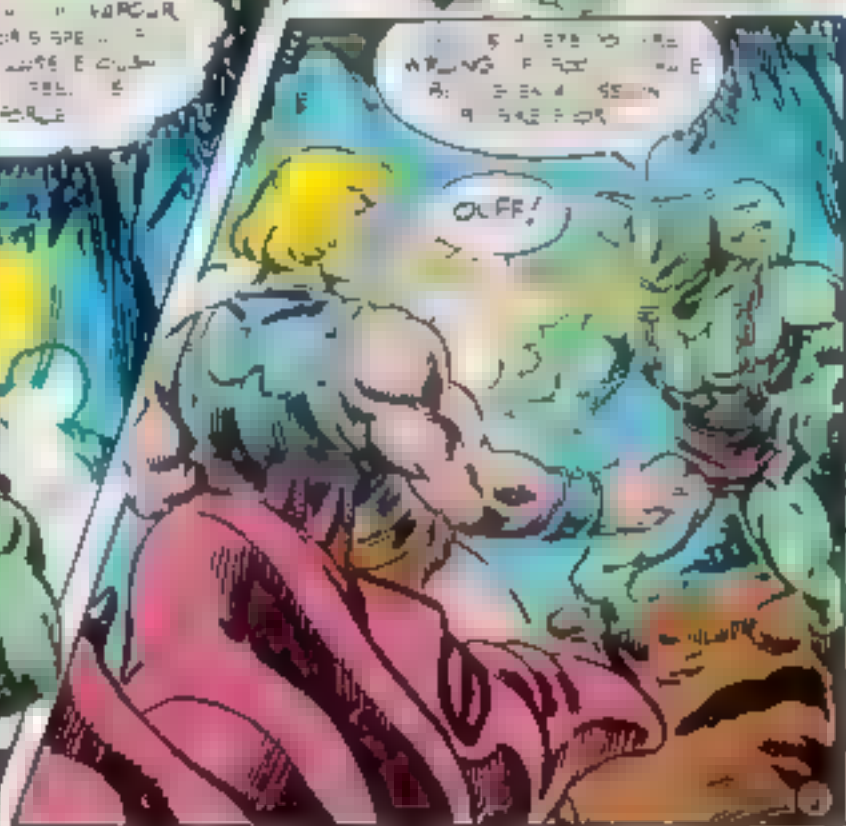
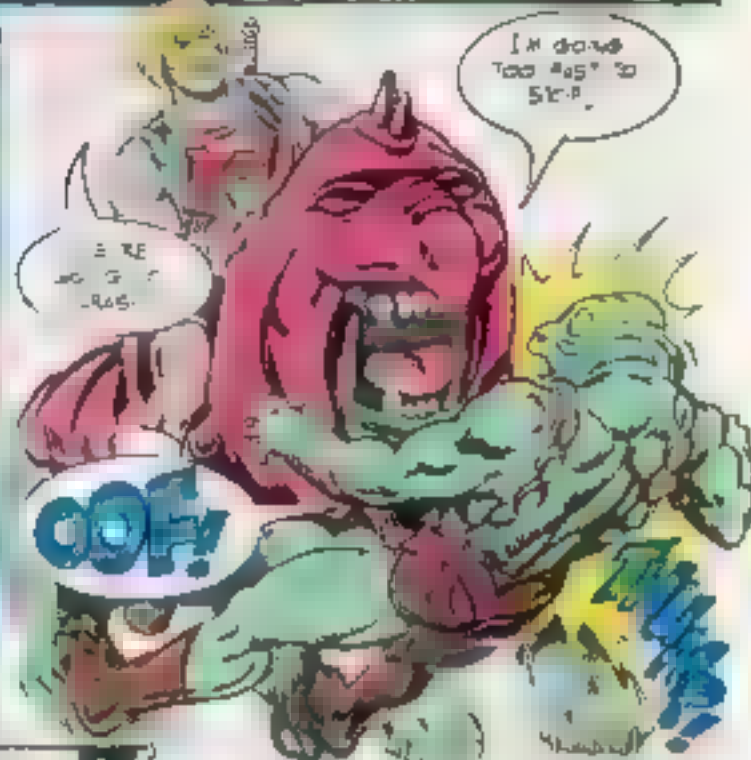
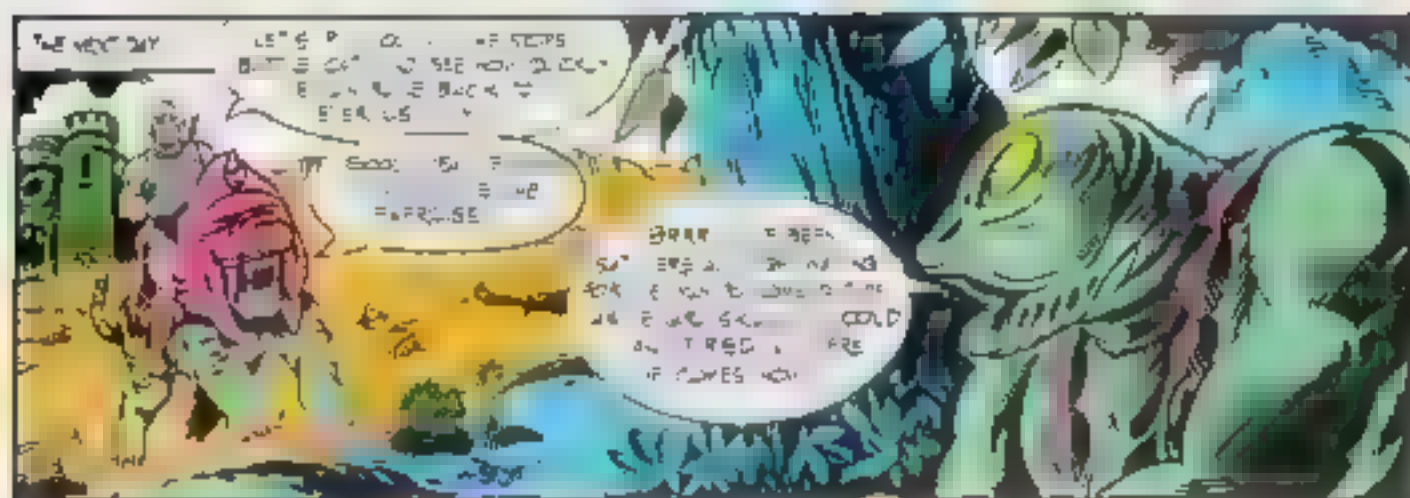
YES, I KNOW! YOU TOLD ME WHAT YOU WANTED WHEN YOU CALLED ME FROM MY BED. I MAY BE ILL, BUT I'M NOT STUPID!

HERE IS WHAT YOU NEED! WILL YOU LEAVE ME ALONE NOW?





















I DON'T LIKE THIS! IT'S NOT LIKE KOBRA KHAM TO ATTACK ME BY HIMSELF! I'LL USE MY SWORD TO TRAP HIM AND FIND OUT WHAT IS GOING ON

MY JOB HERE IS DONE I CAN REPORT A SUCCESSFUL MISSION TO SKE-SIOR

GRASP! WHERE WERE THOSE LG. FS COME FROM? WHAT'S GOING ON?



THEY JUST APPEARED OUT OF NOWHERE! I MUST HAVE SOME PLAN TO DO WITH KHAM'S UNUSUAL ATTACK

THESE RED CATS WERE A "HIT" REPORT. AS THEY HAVE DELAYED US LONG ENOUGH TO AVOID YOUR PLAN TO ESCAPE



I MUST BE DOING SOMETHING RIGHT. HE KNOWS HE RED CATS ARE BEGINNING TO FADE AWAY

I WON'T BE QUICK ENOUGH FOR THE BATTLE CAT



I HAVE THE STRONGEST FEELING THAT WE HAVE NOT SEEN THE LAST OF THOSE CREATURES

YES. MY CAT-SENSE IS TELLING A SURE SIGN THAT THE DANGER HASN'T PASSED!

REVEAL THE SHOCKING SECRET OF THE MENACING MONSTERS & MORE! THE BEGINNING ON THE PAGE AFTER NEXT!





One wild and  
crazy taste!





# MASTERS OF THE MONARCHY

## THE MONSTER MAKER. PART TWO

AFTER HIS EERIE ENCOUNTER  
WITH THE MYSTERIOUS CREEPY  
CREATURES, HE HAS NOW RETURN-  
ED TO THE ROYAL PALACE OF  
ETERNOS

NOW THAT WE'RE  
IN THE ROYAL PALACE  
I'LL CHANGE MYSELF BACK TO  
ADAM AND YOU TO  
CRUNGER.

I'D LOVE TO KNOW WHAT  
HAPPENED TO THOSE CREATURES.  
AND MORE IMPORTANTLY WHERE  
THEY CAME FROM.

WOW! HUH!  
OUR 'FR' FUDS HAVE  
RETURNED TO THE  
CUT

SWARL!  
THIS IS BEGINNING  
TO GET MY  
DUNDER UP

WE CAN'T AFFORD  
TO LET THESE CREATURES  
LOOSE IN THE ROYAL PALACE  
THEY WOULD CAUSE  
TREMENDOUS DAMAGE  
WE HAVE TO SEAL THEM  
IN HERE AND HOPE THEY  
NEVER BREAK AGAIN

I'LL GUARD THE  
WAGON AND PREVENT  
THE CREATURES FROM  
GETTING OUT  
OF THIS CITY

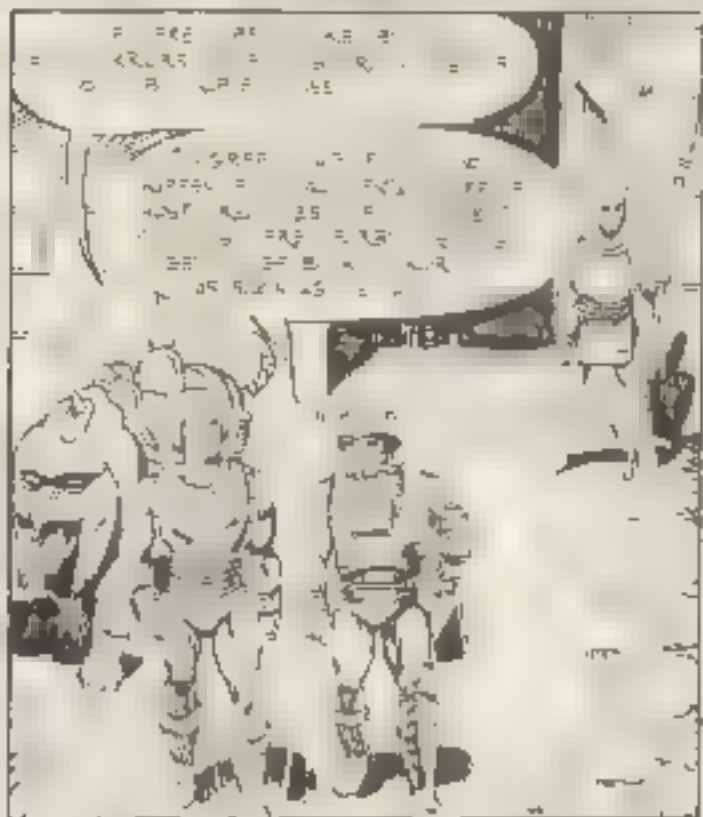
ONLY WE CAN  
LOOK AFTER THE PEOPLE  
IT'S HOPE THEY'LL STAY  
LIKE LAST TIME

SHORTLY

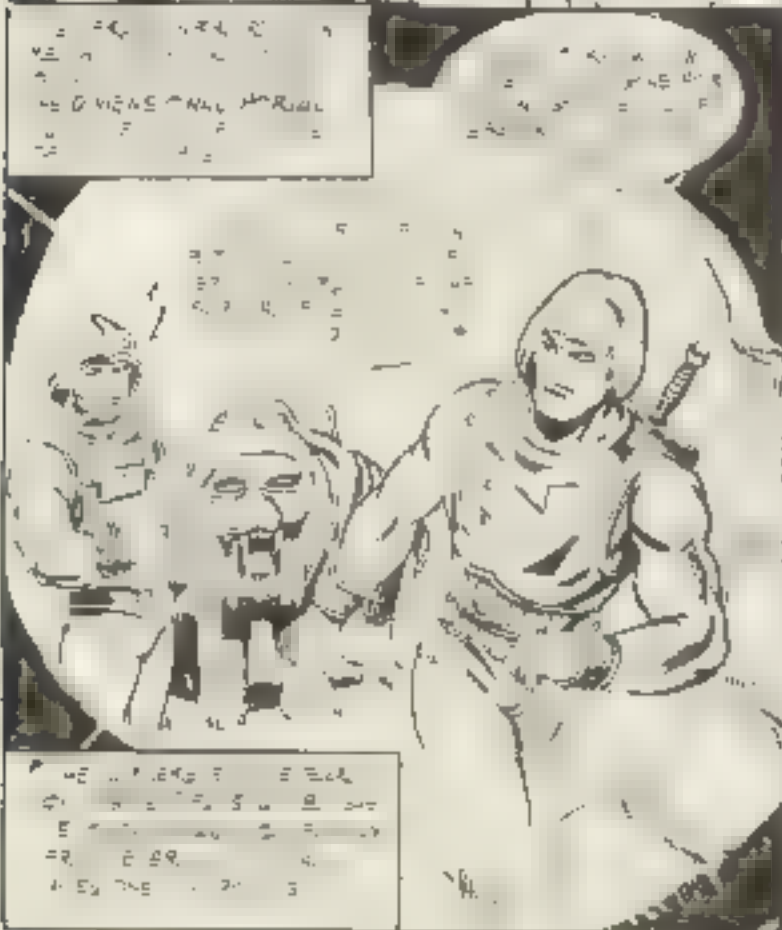
AT LAST THE MONSTERS  
ARE BEGINNING TO FLEE AWAY.  
BUT WHY IS IT THAT CREATURES  
THEM IN THE FIRST PLACE?

SWARL! LET'S  
HOPE THAT'S THE LAST  
WE SEE OF THEM.



















IF YOU ARE  
LOOKING FOR A  
FIGHT SKELETON  
YOU WILL BE COME  
TO THE RIGHT  
PLACE

HE HAS PERFECT  
ATTACK HIM MY  
WARRIORS HIS  
SWORD WILL NOT BE  
ABLE TO HARM  
US!

WELL WHAT'S  
THAT COMING FROM  
HE HAS A SWORD?  
SKELETON SAID THAT  
HE SWORD WOULD  
BE POWERLESS



KOBRA KAHN'S SPRAY  
ATTACK DIDN'T WORK OUT  
EXACTLY AS YOU PLANNED  
SEE FOR YOURSELF  
SKELETON SWORD EXTRA  
POWERS

IF I'M RIGHT THEN  
THAT WHITE IE WILL  
TRICK SKELETON INTO  
REVEALING HIS  
SPELL ON MY  
SWORD

INCREASED YOUR POWERS!  
THEN THAT EXPLAINS HOW  
YOU ARE ABLE TO CALL FORTH  
THESE MONSTERS KOBRA KAHN  
MUST HAVE MISKEEN AND  
HE CAN BEAT ME

SEE PART ONE PAGE 4  
SWORD 255

EVIL ENERGY  
AT THE HANDS SWORD  
SKELETON CANCELLED  
THE NEW  
POWERS

WELL YOU  
SKELETON WERE  
NOT SET  
TO SEE ME  
FREE

TO  
STOP YOUR  
ATTACK!

HERE ONE YOU TAME  
ANOTHER A SKELETON  
CANNOT BE  
BEAT NOW

ON THE BATTLE  
HE WOULD BE WINNING  
SKELETON  
TO WIN!

IT DIDN'T TAKE LONG FOR THE  
TRIO OF THUNDER TO DEFEAT  
SKELETON AND HIS MINIONS

WHEN SKELETON AND EVIL LYN'S  
ENERGY COMBINED WITH TURGOZ'S  
IT CANCELED OUT THE EFFECT OF THE  
GHOST GEARMS IT EVEN MADE THE  
GEARMS DISAPPEAR FROM FERN

SKELETON WILL NEVER KNOW  
THAT HIS PLAN WAS A LIE HE  
DIDN'T USED A POWER BUILT  
MY SWORD NO. 255 - BE  
CREATING GHOST GEARMS

GUESS YOU  
COULDN'T BUT THAT  
SKELETON COULDN'T  
DEMON COLD FEET!  
HA HA HA



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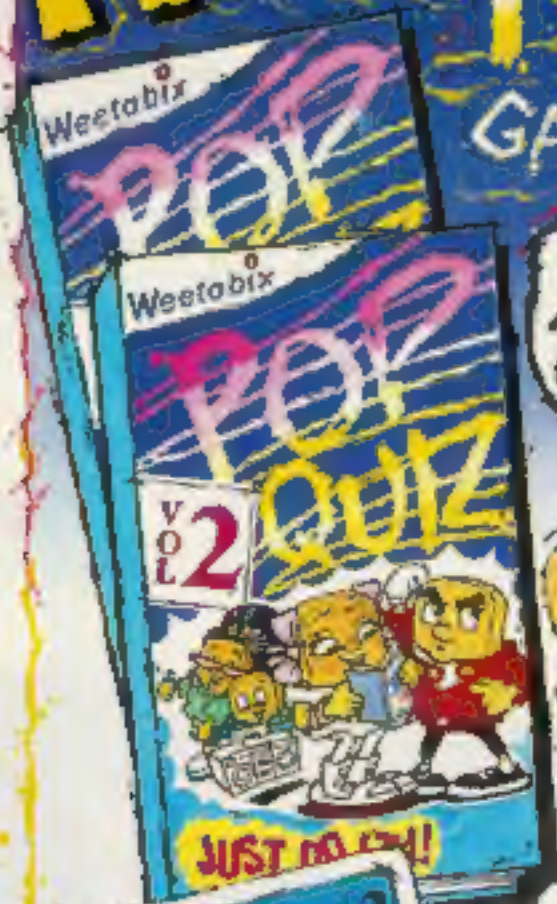




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